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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled IMPROVEMENT IN AND RELATING TO GAS CLEANING DEVICES (Attorney Docket No. 013344-9059-00), the specification of which was filed with my authority, on September 22, 2003, as International Application No. PCT/GB2003/004164.

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